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Applicant(s): Kazuaki ONISHI et al.						
Application No. 10/054,825	Filing Date January 23, 2003	Examiner Catharine Anderson	Customer No. 35684	Group Art Unit 3761	Confirmation No. 7787	
Invention: DISPOSABLE DIAPER						
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Sir:

Prior to continuing the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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